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Critical Book Review

For each of the reflective reviews you write, expect to produce 1250-1500 words using the following structure:

- **An introductory paragraph** that answers two questions:
 - Who is the writer and what does he/she know?
 - What is the author talking about? (*This is the thesis of the book.*)
- Series of three or four paragraphs answering the question, “**What does the author say about their thesis?**”
- **Is it true?** Write a paragraph assessing the effectiveness of the author’s case. (*Do you think the author has made a case for the thesis? Has the subject been established? Why or why not? Is anything important omitted? Is any of the evidence or any of the argument mishandled?*)
- **So what?** Write a paragraph evaluating the significance of what you have read. (*So, if it is true, what are the implications for you?*)
- **Now what?** (*What do you intend to do with your encounter with this book?*)

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